

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A noise filter for an integrated circuit comprising:

5 a CMOS inverter having an input and an output, said input of said CMOS inverter being coupled with an input pad of said integrated circuit, said output of said CMOS inverter being coupled with an input buffer;

a first capacitor being inserted between said output of said CMOS inverter and a first voltage source; and

10 a second capacitor being inserted between said output of said CMOS inverter and a second voltage source.

2. A noise filter according to Claim 1, wherein said integrated circuit is a LSI.

3. A noise filter according to Claim 1, wherein said integrated circuit is a VLSI.

15 4. A noise filter according to Claim 1, wherein said input buffer is a schmitt trigger.

5. A noise filter according to Claim 1, wherein said CMOS inverter includes a NMOS transistor and a PMOS transistor.

20 6. A noise filter according to Claim 1, wherein said first voltage source is VDD and said second voltage source is VSS.

7. A noise filter for an integrated circuit comprising:

25 a transition circuit having an input and an output, said input of said transition circuit being coupled with an input pad of said integrated circuit, said output of said transition circuit being coupled with an input buffer;

a first capacitor being inserted between said output of said transition circuit and a first voltage source; and

a second capacitor being inserted between said output of said transition circuit and a second voltage source.

8. A noise filter according to Claim 7, wherein said integrated circuit is a LSI.

5 9. A noise filter according to Claim 7, wherein said integrated circuit is a VLSI.

10. A noise filter according to Claim 7, wherein said transition circuit includes two transfer gates, the two transfer gates are a NMOS transistor and a PMOS transistor.

10 11. A noise filter according to Claim 7, wherein said input buffer is a schmitt trigger.

12. A noise filter according to Claim 7, wherein said first voltage source is VDD.

13. A noise filter according to Claim 12, wherein a reference voltage of
15 said transition circuit is $VDD/2$.

14. A noise filter according to Claim 12, wherein said second voltage source is VSS.